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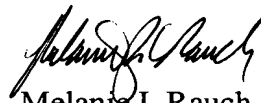
Dear Sir:

I hereby certify that the Petition to Withdraw From Issue Under 37 CFR §1.313(c) for the above-referenced patent application is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as Express Mail Post Office to Addressee No. EV413563964US, on 25 March 2004, and is addressed to Mail Stop 313(c), Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450, together with the items listed below.

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- Request for Continued Examination (1 page, in duplicate)

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